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In re Application of: Madsen et al

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed October 11, 2002 in which the Examiner rejected claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 35 and 36 and withdrew claims 19-34 from consideration. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 19-34 without prejudice.

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Amended) A compound which is selected from

3-{4-[1-(4-cyclohexylphenyl)-3-(3-trifluoromethoxyphenyl)ureidomethyl]benzoylamino}-propionic acid,

3-{4-[1-(4-cyclohex-1-enylphenyl)-3-(3-trifluoromethoxyphenyl)ureidomethyl]benzoylamino}-propionic acid,

3-{4-[1-(4-cyclohexylcyclohexyl)-3-(3-trifluoromethoxyphenyl)ureidomethyl]benzoylamino}-propionic acid,

3-{4-[1-(4-cyclohexylcyclohexyl)-3-(3-trifluoromethylphenyl)ureidomethyl]benzoylamino}-propionic acid,

3-{4-[1-(4-cyclohexylphenyl)-3-(3-trifluoromethylphenyl)ureidomethyl]benzoylamino}propionic acid,

3-{4-[1-(4-cyclohexylphenyl)-3-(3-bromophenyl)ureidomethyl]benzoylamino}propionic acid,